

IN THE DESCRIPTION

Please replace the paragraph on page 1 after the heading “Cross Reference To Related Applications with the following paragraph:

The present application is a U.S. national phase filing under 35 U.S.C. 371 of PCT Application No. PCT/US2005/010285, filed March 28, 2005, which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Number 60/556,796, filed March 26, 2004, each of which are hereby incorporated by reference in their entirety.

Please indent line 4 on page 8.

Please replace the word “zwiterionic” in line 29 on page 16 with the word “zwitterionic.”

Please replace the paragraph beginning with line 21 on page 5 with the following paragraph:

For purposes of the present invention, the term “microbicide” will refer to any agent that prevents, treats, inactivates, degrades or in any other way affects a causal agent of a sexually transmitted disease. Examples of such agents include antiviral drugs, traditional microbicides that destroy microbes, such as viruses and bacteria, and the like. Additionally, the term will further include any agent that prevents or promotes fertility. Such agents may be useful in in-vitro fertilization procedures, as a family planning methodology and the like. Lastly, the term will also include agents involved in hormone replacement therapy, such as a particular hormone or combination of hormones administered to an individual.